WOLF IN THEATRE LEAPS FROM CAGE AND BITES SEVEN

Jumps Into Audience at Brooklyn Amphion and Starts a Panic.

FINALLY BEATEN DOWN.

Lawyers Prepare to Bring Suits for Victims and Police Order Chains.

The efforts of the producers of "The seen of the Highwaymen" to give thrills of realism to the performance at the Amphion Theatre, Brooklyn, last night by showing live woives on the stage led to a meas which may cost the theatre most of its season's profits and may cause hydrophobia to seven of last night's audience.

One of the wolves escaped from the wire netting cage inside which the wolves were supposed to pace hungrily up and down. The beast jumped over the footlights and bit five women and two men before it was subdued.

To-day lawyers for all seven are preparing suits for heavy damages against he theatre, and some of the victims are visiting the Pasteur Institute to ward the rables. The Police Department has sent word that the wolves must not erform again unless securely tied with collar and chain.

One Liscapes From Pen. The third act of "The Queen of the Highway Men" had ,ust started last night and the big audience was viewing the realistic wildness of the mountain Western scene and admiring the touch of evagery given by the presence of the wo large wolves, kept - the stage by wire netting, when one of them climbed the ten-foot-high wall of the pen and

Amid the screams of women the wolf headed straight for the footlights. He paused a moment at the footlight line nd glared down at the musicians in their well below. Then, with a snarl, the beast leaped clear across this space

and landed in an assie. A bebel of shrieks arose and every-sedy leaped up. The clamor increased as the wolf bit the leg of Mrs. Florence Baumgarten of No. 28 Guernsey street. Then the animal darted into another row of seats and bit the hand of Mrs sie Berhaber of No. 18 George stree she was holding her skirts about her.

Bit Four Other Women. Then as the wolf darted along row fter row he bit four other women, phose names the police did not get. By hat time all the persons downstairs ere rushing for the exits and upstairs romen were acting as if a mouse breatened them, for with skirts held whily about their ankles, they leaped

pon seats.

A man tried to seize the wolf and treet. But the wolf, which up to that me took his bride to a theatre last might. They live on the top floor of no the top floor of No. 429, and were sleeping soundly when thrust out his hand the wolf's teeth

Up to that time the musicians were

struments. With his baton the leader and being cut off from ascending the chief support of his family. of the orchestra made frantic motions at the big wolf. With his treasured lle the first violin beat the wolf's head. With the slide of his brass the trombone player made lunges.

* Grabbed by Policeman. A strange twanging and a weird disance arose as the bass viol and the riols united on the back of the wolf. suckily for the musicians a diversion ook place. Patrolman John J. Cosgrove of the Clymer avenue station. seing persons rushing from the theatre. entered it. He strode down to the mu-sicians' pit and clutched the wolfthroat with both hands. Cosgrove was choking the animal in fine style when a tage hand ran out, leaned down and grasped the wolf's tail. A jerk drew the wolf out of the policeman's hands. The beast bit Cosgrove the instant he

But if the first of the stage hands had Seen stoolish, the rest atoned. They stropped into the pit and beat the wolf with clubs. In the end he lay uncon-

belous and gasping.
Dr. Henry W. Dangler of No. 455 Classon avenue dressed the wounds of the bitten ones. More than half the ausumed their seats and the play went

SHIPPING NEWS.

ALMANAC FOR TO-DAY. THE TIDES. 11.02 11.52 12.52 1.42 PORT OF NEW YORK.

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INCOMING STEAMSHIPS. DUE TO-DAY.

OUTGOING STEAMSHIPS. SAILED TO-DAY.

Bride Who Was So Modest She Wouldn't Leave Burning House



BERTHA PEDDERWITZ

BASHFUL BRIDE **DELAYS FIREMEN** AT BROOKLYN BLAZE

Refuses to Be Rescued from Burning Building Until

She's Fully Dressed. .

bad fifteen minutes at 2 s'elock this morning during a blaze in the threestory brick building No. 409 Church avestrangle him as he passed. That was nue, Brooklyn. A. Fedderwitz became rodore Morsch of No. 30 South Ninth a bridegroom late yesterday afternoon

a pounding aroused them.

stairway by the smoke, they ran scaling ladders to the roof, came down the skylight into the top hallway and broke in the Fedderwitz door. Then they led the couple over the roof to No. 405, where friends cared for them until they ould return to their own rooms.

WON'T ABOLISH COURT.

Chief Mngistrate May Extend Jurisdiction of Westchester Tribunal

After a visit of inspection with Chief Clerk Pailip Bloch to the Westchester Court to-day, Chief Magistrate William McAdoo announced that the court would not be abottshed as some of the Magistrates had asked. They said that there was not enough business there to pay for the trouble of making the long journey to the esourt early every morning. Mr. McAdoo said that he thought he would spread the jurisdiction of the court over Bronx Park, and that the ern part of the city would soon give the Magistrates there plenty to do.

Boy Torn in Will Belt.

John Cominsky, fourteen years old employed in a silk mill at Paterson N. J., is dying at St. Joseph's Hospital They were told that the building was in that city as the result of having been afe in their well. Now the wolf turned on fire, but refused to come down. The caught in a revolving belt. His arm was toward them and leaped over the low bride wanted to dress first, and her galling well.

Then began a strange use of musical bride wanted to dress first, and her gallow first at the same hospital, six weeks ago, after having been run over hospital, six weeks ago, after having been run over hospital, six weeks ago, after having been the hospital six weeks ago, after having been run over hospital six weeks ago, after having been run over hospital six weeks ago, after having been run over hospital six weeks ago, after having been run over hospital six weeks ago, after having been run over hospital six weeks ago.





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BANKER FORGER HAD "AUTO-BUG," LAWYER PLEADS

years old, was the assertion made by this lawyer, former Assistant District-Attorney William Bosier, when Belling is tility-seven and lives at Belling is tility-seven and lives at No. 7 West Ninety-second street with an invalid wife. He was connected with General Sessions to-day.

Mr. Bosier told Judge Crain that his client was being examined by Dr. George M. Parker, an allenist, and that if the result of the examination warranted it. the would apply for a commission to pass on his cilent's sanity. He said that at the age of five Belling sustained a fall which injured the base of his brain and that he was under medical treatment in consequence for over fourteen years. At ing 'em now."

eighteen from spinal menengitis, at twenty he was taken to a sanitarium because of a nervous breakdown and at twenty-four he developed melancholia and hysteria.

and hysteria.

When the automobile made its advent,
Mr. Bosier said, his client became an "auto bug," spending large sums of money for auto hire and "joy riding" incessantly. In one year—1269—he spent \$5,500 for auto hire. His neighbors regarded him as erratic. He asked that the case go over until Friday. Judge Crain granted the adjournment with the ter vessel started out from here yester-

Says That Belling Has Been Insane Since Youth and Gains Adjournment.

Belling was "outside man" of the Bronx National Bank as well as its vice-president, and he came into the possession of a number of blank certificates of stock of the bank which had been signed that he forged the name of the cashier, Harry Colby, to a number of these certificates, and that he obtained loans from a number of banks. The Knicker-bocker Trust Company loaned him \$1,000 to a president of the Bronx National Bank, who was arrested Nov. 16, charged with forgery and grand larceny, is insane and has been ever since he was five years old, was the assertion made by less than the certificates.

Crain granted the adjournment bilistrict-Attorney day in a terrific gale to succor her sister ship, which had been sighted twelve miles off the coast displaying signals of distress and indicating that her engines had broken down.

Since then no word has come from the been sighted twelve miles off the liners and they have not been sighted by incoming vessels. It is thought they may have been driven northward by the storm, which still rased to-day. The German Consul bere is aboard the Irma. Both of the German steamers ply between Hamburg, Rotter-day of the savertion made by the storm with the coast displaying signals of distress and indicating that her engines had broken down.

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